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FOR DR. BREZEZINSKI ONLY

FOLLOING NEW DELHI 4708 SENT ACTION SECSTATE APR 4 REPEATED
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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL NUCLEAR POLICY STATEMENT

REF: STATE 071994

1. THE CHARGE INFORMED THE FOREIGN SECRETARY ON APRIL 2
THAT THE PRESIDENT'S NUCLEAR POLICY STATEMENT WOULD BE MADE
ON APRIL 7, THAT IT WILL EMPHASIZE DOMESTIC DECISIONS AND
PROVIDE FOR FULL CONSULTATION.

2. THE FOREIGN SECRETARY REPLIED THAT THE GOI WOULD
PROBABLY HAVE NO COMMENT BEYOND THAT REPORTED REFTEL SINCE
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THE SUBJECT IS TOO COMPLEX TO OBTAIN THE VIEWS OF THE NEW
INDIAN GOVERNMENT IN THE TIME AVAILABLE AND GIVEN ITS OTHER
PREOCCUPATIONS (THIS WEEK'S NONALIGNED COORDINATING COMMITTEE
MEETING AND THE CURRENT SESSION OF PARLIAMENT.)

3. IN SUM, THE TENTATIVE GOI REACTION FROM THE OFFICIAL
LEVEL TO THE PROPOSED US NUCLEAR POLICY STATEMENT IS ONE OF

CONCERN REGARDING THE IMPLICATIONS OF DOMESTIC US DECISIONS
FOR NUCLEAR PROGRAMS WHICH THE GOI ALREADY HAS UNDERWAY
AND TO WHICH IT HAS ALREADY COMMITTED SCARCE RESOURCES.
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